

Small Flowery Miao

Small Flowery Miao (Chinese: 小花苗 *xiǎo huā miáo*) is a Miao language of China that is closely related to Hmong: Hmong and Small Flowery Miao are listed as the first and second local dialects of the Chuanqiandian Cluster of West Hmongic languages.^[3] It is spoken in Nayong, Shuicheng, Zhenning, Guanling, and Hezhang counties of western Guizhou, China.^[4]

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Small Flowery Miao	
Gha-Mu	
Native to	China
Region	Guizhou
Ethnicity	Gha-Mu
Native speakers	(84,000 cited 1995) ^[1]
Language family	<div>Hmong–Mien<ul style="list-style-type: none">Hmongic<ul style="list-style-type: none">Western Hmongic<ul style="list-style-type: none">Chuanqiandian Cluster<ul style="list-style-type: none">Small Flowery Miao</div>
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	sfm
Glottolog	smal1236 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/smal1236) ^[2]

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